

You Really Can't Blame Mutt This Time

By "Bud" Fisher



CANANEAS REPEAT THE LOCALS IN THE SNAPPIEST BALL GAME OF SEASON

New Pitcher on the Slab for the Locals Shows Good Form; Big Crowd.

Without an error, Cananea Sunday won the third and last game of the series with El Paso, leaving the field at the end of the exhibition with the score 2 to 2. Contrasted with the Saturday game it was a decided improvement over the offering and was classed throughout. The game was not considered won until the last play in the ninth when Wolfe was thrown out at the plate, following the score made by Jones, the Mavericks taking a brace in the last half of the round and threatening to do things.

The crowd was one of the largest of the season and the exodus from the grandstand was not started until after the last clod of diamond dust had disappeared. Olmstead was in the box for El Paso and made a creditable showing. Jones, another Western leaguer who is playing post-season games in the Cactus league, also made good, getting two hits, and for the seventh time working the "hidden ball" trick. He caught R. Whaling sneaking second, following Whaling's attempt to get to third.

Rumsey, the Maverick whose horns were cut off and who was turned out on the range, was on the mound for Cananea and his offerings being deceptive. El Paso opened the scoring pot in the second half of the first inning, Jackson coming in after beating a slow grounder to first base, being advanced by Gray's clean hit to right field and beating the ball home after Stovall's fly to right was caught. Flick had fanned. Wolfe ended the session by knocking to shortstop.

Cananea's first score, made in the first half of the second, was due to one of those brotherly acts. R. Whaling and T. Whaling officiating. R. Whaling, first up, batted a high fly to right field, after making a play, dropping the ball. Earthman then sacrificed, advancing Whaling. Baroldy flew out to Jackson in center field, and Whaling beat the ball to third. Then T. Whaling, with a gleam in his eye and a thought of what the papers might say, hit safe to right field, scoring brother. Oh, yes, there's another brother, R. Whaling, on the team, and Whaling relates, he popped out to Gray at first.

Whaling Caught Napping. It's also sadder to relate that in the fifth inning R. Whaling lost a score for Cananea. After making a brilliant hit over second, a brilliant play, he started to advance to third on Rumsey's attempted sacrifice. Rumsey didn't make good and Whaling had to beat it back to second, which he reached in a heap—but safe. R. Whaling himself up and, second baseman, picked up the ball. Someone started an argument and Whaling got off the base. Jones nailed him.

Cananea Scores in Eighth. With the score tied, 1 to 1, after the second inning, affairs moved pleasantly until the eighth, when Cananea again started things, the "things" almost terminating in something more than a wordy war. Adams, first up, hit safe to right field. Hodges jumped to the other side of the home plate and hit safe to left field. R. Whaling flew out to Olmstead and Earthman, duplicating the infield fly, went out to Wolfe. Then T. Whaling, although no brothers were on the base, hit just across the border. His support was up to now and he had everything in his favor. The work of McKay, who is more of a pitcher than Thomas ever will be, was so far superior to his support, that he was forced to fight an uphill game throughout the nine innings. In the fifth he was struck by a batted ball and knocked to the ground. It was at first thought that his knee had been broken but he came right to his feet and finished the game, receiving an ovation for his display of nerve when he came to bat.

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man was on his way to third, after making a two base hit. Adams, who had been given a base on balls, was on his way to second, and Hodges had hit Flick in shortstop. Flick, touching second, threw to Gray at first, retiring Adams and Hodges. Rumsey had previously fanned.

The score: AB. R. H. PO. A. E. El Paso. 2 0 0 1 0 1 Gray, ss. 4 1 2 2 0 0 Jackson, cf. 4 1 2 2 0 0 Jones, 2b. 4 1 3 5 4 1 Gray, lb. 4 0 1 3 1 1 Stovall, rf. 3 0 0 1 0 0 Wolfe, c. 3 0 2 6 2 0 Brewster, 2b. 4 0 2 0 0 1 Ketchum, lf. 3 0 0 0 0 1 Olmstead, p. 3 0 0 1 3 0 Totals. 32 2 8 26 11 4

Cananea. AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Goodman, 2b. 5 0 2 2 1 0 Adams, ss. 4 1 1 1 1 0 Hodges, rf. 5 0 2 2 0 0 R. Whaling, lb. 4 1 1 9 0 0 Earthman, 2b. 3 0 2 2 1 0 Wolfe, c. 3 0 0 1 0 0 Brewster, 2b. 4 0 1 0 0 1 T. Whaling, cf. 4 0 1 5 1 0 B. Whaling, p. 4 1 2 5 1 0 Rumsey, p. 3 0 0 0 4 0 Totals. 35 3 9 27 9 4

CANANEAS WIN EASILY SATURDAY The Quen Sabes Play Ring Around a Rosy With the Maverick Aggregation.

Playing horse ball with but one ball on the field, the local club loaded through nine innings of alleged baseball at Washington park Saturday afternoon. The game started a few minutes before 2:30, and was over at equally few minutes after five. But it was not brilliant playing or fast work that made it one of the shortest games of the season. It was because there was not enough interest displayed to get men on bases for the El Paso club. When one man would get on he would dog trot to second and be tagged by big Spide Adams. The only pep of the game was what the Cananea club displayed. Here note an exception or two. McKay in the center of the square circle and Jackson in center. Both of these men worked hard, and Ketchum in left also showed flashes of speed although he missed up a fly and then fell down like a town lout, a thing that seldom happens to the little "feller."

The score? Let's see, one in the first, one in the seventh, four in the eighth and two in the ninth. That makes eight in the third and the tale of told. The Mavericks had finished. The error column shows a total of five for the El Pasoans and a total blankness where the blunders should have appeared in the lineup, all of which goes to show the class of ball offered for the second of the tickets which were peddled for the three game series.

Thomas, the blond, forearm, worker for Cananea, pitched and pitched well, for the Quen Sabes artists from across the border. His support was up to now and he had everything in his favor. The work of McKay, who is more of a pitcher than Thomas ever will be, was so far superior to his support, that he was forced to fight an uphill game throughout the nine innings. In the fifth he was struck by a batted ball and knocked to the ground. It was at first thought that his knee had been broken but he came right to his feet and finished the game, receiving an ovation for his display of nerve when he came to bat.

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TWO NEW PLAYERS FOR THE MAVERICKS Tex. Jones to Shine in the Outfield and Olmstead on the Rubber.

Tex. Jones, he who hit .361 in the Western league while playing with St. Joseph, Mo., has been lined up for the local herd and may be seen in outfield action during the remainder of the season. Jones comes of a ball playing family and has made a hit with his big stick in the St. Joe team, which is the Old Pueblo, Colorado club transferred. Another player to be brought on is Olmstead, of Denver, who pitched Denver into second place. Olmstead is well known in the Western league and the American association, and is considered some pitcher. These two new men will be on time for the Douglas series, which start next week.

HOLD PUGILIST PENDING INVESTIGATION OF FIGHT Fatal Termination of Bout in New York Causes Mamma To Be Held by Police.

New York, Oct. 10.—Frederick Mumm, a pugilist, is held by the New York police on charges of manslaughter pending an investigation into the death of Frank Gitter, known as "Kid" Hyland, who died early Sunday.

In the seventh round of the 10 round bout between Mumm and Gitter Saturday night, Gitter was sent to the floor with a blow on the jaw. He died without regaining consciousness. He had hemorrhage of the brain, probably caused by the impact of his head with the floor. Gitter was 24 years old and was married two weeks ago.

GRAND PRIZE AUTO RACE WILL GO TO SAVANNAH, GA. Savannah, Ga., Oct. 10.—The local automobile club delegation in New York has notified officials here by wire that the grand prize automobile race is sure to be staged in this city, probably November 12.

Let us suggest a dainty frozen desert. Phone the Elite any time.

Moving day.—Snyder Jewelry Co.

Devore, of the Giants, Whose Hitting Gives Him Wide Fame



Josh Devore, right fielder for the New York Giants, is hitting over .500. He is hitting the ball in great shape, his batting average for the last two weeks being over the .500 mark. The is expected to do especially well against the Yankee twirlers during the post season series, for he is hitting all kinds of pitchers successfully.

Base Ball Results Saturday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Boston.—R. H. E. Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 2 1 1 0—5 7 2 Boston 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 4 1 Batteries: Philadelphia, Ewing and Dooin; Boston, Ferguson and Hariden. Umpire—Eason and Johnston.

Second Game.—R. H. E. Philadelphia 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—3 3 2 Boston 1 0 1 1 0 0 0—3 7 0 Batteries: Philadelphia, Ewing and Dooin; Boston, Curtis and Hariden. Umpire—Eason and Johnston.

Game called at the end of the seventh on account of darkness.

At Cincinnati.—R. H. E. St. Louis 0 0 0 2 0 3 0 10—6 5 0 Cincinnati 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 2—5 10 4 Batteries: St. Louis, Harmon and Phelps; Cincinnati, Burns and Clark. Umpire—Rigler and Emile.

Game called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

At Pittsburgh.—R. H. E. Chicago 1 2 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—5 7 2 Pittsburgh 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—3 5 3 Batteries: Chicago, McIntyre and Archer; Pittsburgh, Steele and Gibson. Umpire—Brennan and O'Day.

At Brooklyn.—R. H. E. New York 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1 8 1 Brooklyn 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2 8 0 Batteries: New York, Mathewson and Meyers; Brooklyn, Rucker and Bergen. Umpire—Klem and Kane.

Second Game.—R. H. E. New York 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 1 Brooklyn 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 1 Batteries: New York, Marquard and Wilson; Brooklyn, Kuetzer and Miller. Umpire—Klem and Kane.

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At Chicago.—R. H. E. Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 2 Chicago 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 4—6 0 0 Batteries: Detroit, Willett and Casey; Chicago, Young and Block. Umpire—Perrine and Sheridan.

At Washington.—Washington-Philadelphia game postponed; rain.

At St. Louis.—R. H. E. Cleveland 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2 7 1 St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 8 1 Batteries: Cleveland, Kaler and Land; St. Louis, Bailey and Stephens. Umpire—Evans.

COAST LEAGUE. At Portland.—R. H. E. Sacramento 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 7 8 Portland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—10 12 0 Batteries: Fluggers, Heister and LaLonde; Garrett and Murray.

At San Francisco.—R. H. E. Los Angeles 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4 7 0 San Francisco 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 5 Batteries: Nagle and Orendorf; Suttor and Berry. Ten innings.

At Los Angeles.—R. H. E. Oakland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 8 5 Vernon 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 9 1 Batteries: Christian and Mize; Corbin, Hogan and Brown.

Second game.—R. H. E. Vernon 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4 1 4 Oakland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 8 0 Batteries: Vernon, Brown, Willis and Nelson, Pearce.

At Tokyo.—R. H. E. Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—5 3 2 Waseda 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 2

Texas Sporting Gossip By D. W. Hornaday

Gus Fisher, the young catcher from Graham, Texas, but who played with Waco, being battery mate to Dutch Browning, is making an enviable showing in the Pacific Coast league. He has participated in 108 games, at bat 262 times, scored 30 runs, made 107 hits, giving him a batting average of .295, considered extra fine for a catcher. Fisher and Browning broke into the Texas league in 1908. Fisher was drafted by Toledo and sold to Portland.

White Sox May Come to Texas. The Chicago White Sox, who may be the World's champion ball team, will probably train next spring at Mineral Wells, Texas, acting under orders from Comiskey, his right hand man. Ted Sullivan, is now in Texas to complete the details of the contract for the training period. Frank Navin, head of the former champion Detroit team, also has his eye on Mineral Springs, having abandoned the idea of training again at San Antonio.

Eddie in 300 Class. Eddie Hohhurst, the San Antonio first baseman with the Cleveland team, has been hitting at a terrific clip since he has been in the American league. He now has an average of .364 out of 44 games, going ahead of Speaker. Only Cobb, Lajoie and Jackson outrank him. He is the only Texas player to be in the 300 class with the exception of Speaker. Karger, the Texas pitcher, is batting .299.

Newman is in Demand. Pat Newman, who played for several months with St. Louis in the American league, is negotiating with O'Connor to secure his release. Newman returned to San Antonio after O'Connor's suspension and has not rejoined the team. Houston and San Antonio both want his services. The St. Louis management do not think they have been

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At Los Angeles.—R. H. E. Oakland 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 4 4 Batteries: Hit and H. Hogan; Moser, Harkins and Mize.

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At San Francisco.—R. H. E. Los Angeles 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4 8 0 San Francisco 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—6 5 5 Batteries: Deihl and Smith; Eastley and Williams.

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At New Haven.—Saturday. Yale football players had trouble in defeating Holy Cross, 12 to 0. It was the best game under the existing rules seen here. Both teams used the forward pass recently and successfully. Yale's touchdowns were made by a fake play by Corey through center and by Demina against the line.

Case sprung a surprise on Michigan at Ann Arbor Saturday by holding the Wolverines to a 0-0 tie. The team's men to one field goal and making one himself. Michigan did not attempt the open style of play until the last period and could not gain consistently.

Application to have the Grand Prize motor race, which was called off in New York, transferred to Cheyenne, is made in a letter sent W. K. Vanderbilt by the Cheyenne club. The club offers the use of a four mile circular track, in view of a large grandstand, and promises that it will be policed by United States troops.

At Princeton.—Saturday. New York University was defeated, 12 to 0. The visitors used the forward pass as chief offense, while Princeton secured its 12 points in the first half.

The world's record for the long distance throwing of a baseball, that had stood for 36 years was broken at the field day between the Cincinnati and Pittsburgh Nationals league teams at Cincinnati Sunday, when Sheldon LeFevre, of the Evansville club of the Central league, threw the ball 425 feet, 6 1/4 inches.

At Minneapolis.—Saturday. Minnesota triumphed over the Ames Agriculturists from Iowa by the score 49 to 8. Minneapolis showed great form and found the Ames line for gains on almost every play. This was Minnesota's third game of the season but they did not try half the number of their plays against Ames.

Northwestern university won from Iowa 10 to 5 on the gridiron at Evansville Saturday afternoon. Four Northwestern players, including Wade, Robbins and Ball were withdrawn from the contest because of injuries. Rarely has a Methodist team showed more aggressive determination than that displayed in Saturday's game.

By making eight hits in eight times at bat in St. Louis Sunday, Napoleon Lajoie, of the Cleveland team pulled ahead of Tyus Cobb, of Detroit, in the race for the batting championship of the American league. According to the unofficial figures Lajoie's average is now .358, and Cobb's .353.

Beach ice cream delivered after supper. Phone the Elite.

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At Tokyo.—R. H. E. Chicago 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—5 3 2 Waseda 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 2

SUNDAY'S RESULTS. NATIONAL LEAGUE. At Chicago.—R. H. E. Chicago 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—14 11 2 St. Louis 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 4 0 Batteries: Cole and Needham; Steele and Phelps. Umpire: Rigler and O'Day.

At Cincinnati.—R. H. E. Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 7 3 Cincinnati 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—7 9 1 Batteries: White and Simon; Beebe and Clark. Roth. Umpire: Brennan and Emile.

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